

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In re application of: Robert Boesel, et al. Group Art Unit: 2182  
Serial No.: 10/613,897 Examiner: Yu, Henry W.  
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For: BUFFERING METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROCESSING DIGITAL  
COMMUNICATION SIGNALS

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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated May 27, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.